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8 **UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**
 9 **SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA**

10 **ANNISSA MAYER ,**

11 **Plaintiff,**

12 **V.**

13 **SALLIE MAE**

14 **Defendant.**

Case No.: 08 CV 0853 IEG AJB

**WAIVER OF SERVICE OF
SUMMONS**

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16 **TO: JOSHUA B. SWIGART ATTORNEY FOR PLAINTIFF**

17 **ANNISSA:**

18 I acknowledge receipt of your request that I waive service of a summons in
 19 the action of Annissa Mayer v. Sallie Mae, which is case number 08 CV 0853 IEG
 20 AJB in the United States District Court for the Southern District of California. I
 21 have also received a copy of the complaint in the action, two copies of this
 22 instrument, and a means by which I can return the signed waiver to you without
 23 cost to me.

24 I agree to save the cost of service of a summons and an additional copy of
 25 the complaint in this lawsuit by not requiring that I (or the entity on whose behalf
 26 I am acting) be served with judicial process in the manner provided in Rule 4.

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1 I (or the entity on whose behalf I am acting) will retain all defenses or
 2 objections to the lawsuit or to the jurisdiction or venue of the court except for
 3 objections based on a defect in the summons or in the service of the summons.

4 I understand that a judgment may be entered against me (or the entity on
 5 whose behalf I am acting) if an answer or motion under Rule 12 is not served
 6 upon you within 60 days after June 25, 2008 or within 90 days after that date if the
 7 request was sent outside the United States.

8 Dated: July 18, 2008.

The Moore Law Group

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Attys In **Sallie Mae**

14 **DUTY TO AVOID UNNECESSARY COSTS OF SERVICE OF SUMMONS**

15 Rule 4 of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure requires certain parties to
 16 cooperate in saving unnecessary costs of service of summons and complaint. A
 17 defendant located in the United States who, after being notified of an action and
 18 asked by a plaintiff located in the United States to waive service of a summons,
 19 fails to do so will be required to bear the cost of such service unless good cause be
 20 shown for its failure to sign and return the waiver.

21 It is not good cause for a failure to waive service that a party believes that
 22 the complaint is unfounded, or that the action has been brought in an improper
 23 place or in a court that lacks jurisdiction over the subject matter of the action or
 24 over its person or property. A party who waives service of the summons retains
 25 all defenses and objections (except any relating to the summons or to the service
 26 of the summons), and may later object to the jurisdiction of the court or to the
 27 place where the action has been brought.
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1 A defendant who waives service must within the time specified on the
2 waiver form serve the plaintiff's attorney (or unrepresented plaintiff) a response to
3 the complaint and must also file a signed copy of the response with the court. If
4 the answer or motion is not served within this time, a default judgment may be
5 taken against that defendant. By waiving service, a defendant is allowed more
6 time to answer than if the summons has been actually served when the request for
7 waiver of service is received.